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Azalea calendulacea. See page 4

Hardy Native Deciduous Trees and Shrubs Cultural Directions for Azaleas, Broad-Leaved Evergreens, and Similar Plants

Azaleas, Kalmias, Leucothoë, Pieris, and Rhododendrons are acid-soil plants and will not succeed well in limestone soils. A deep, porous soil is essential. The ground should be excavated to a depth of about 2 feet, working in leaf-mold, humus, or well-rotted stable manure. This mixture must be worked in carefully and packed tight around the roots. Fill in the excavation with rotted sods, muck or peat soil, mixed with a small quantity of sand.

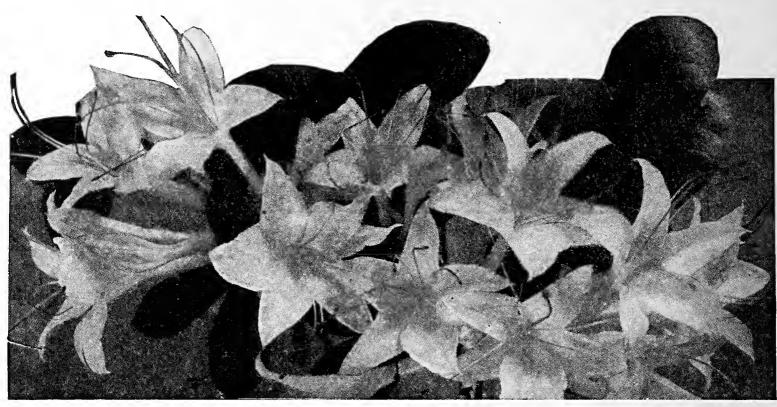
The plants should be set the same depth as in the nursery, which is shown by the earth-line near the base. After planting, mulch with several inches of leaves or light litter, allowing this mulch to remain around the plants, and renew it annually in the autumn. A thin covering of rich soil may be used to advantage in holding mulch in place and to assist in decomposition. The mulch also tends to keep the soil cool in summer and protects against freezing in winter. If these simple instructions are observed, your planting of Broad-leaved Evergreens will be entirely successful.

For use in beds of Rhododendrons, Azaleas, and other similar plants we recommend the following: Galax, Shortia, Ferns, Orchids, Lilies, Trilliums, Cimicifugas, Iris,

Polygonatums, Sanguinarias, and most of our other perennials.

ABBREVIATIONS - XX, specimens; B&B, balled and burlapped

ACER saccharum. Sugar Maple. Handsome, rapid-growing tree for general use. Splendid fall coloring of foliage.	10	100	1,000
I to 2 feet	\$3 50	\$25 00	
3 to 4 feet	5 00		
4 to 6 feet	6 00		
ESCULUS octandra. Yellow Buckeye. Medium-sized tree.			
Large, vigorous foliage. Cream-colored flowers in early spring. I to 2 feet	2 75	18.00	\$150 00
2 to 3 feet	4 50	_	#130 00
3 to 4 feet	6 00	•	
ALBIZZIA julibrissin. Silk Tree. Attractive tree of moderate			
size, with acacia-like foliage and clusters of fuzzy			
pink flowers followed by big pods. 3 to 4 feet	7 00	55 00	
4 to 6 feet	9 00	75 00	
6 to 8 feet	12 50	100 00	



Azalea arborescens

HARDY NATIVE DECIDUOUS TREES AND SH	RU	BS,	cont	inu	ed	
ALNUS viridis. European Green Alder. Low shrub with attractive foliage. From high altitudes.	1	0	100)	1,0	0 0
Heavy clumps 2 to 4 feet	\$7	50	\$ 60	00		
AMELANCHIER lævis. Allegheny Shadblow. Very handsome small tree, with snow-white flowers in early spring. The edible fruit ripens in July. 6 to 12 inches.		50	18	00		
ARONIA arbutifolia. Red Chokeberry. Of larger growth than A. melanocarpa, with splendid bright red berries. An elegant shrub. Indifferent as to soil-acidity. Succeeds in sunny or shady locations. Attractive to birds and very ornamental. I to 2 feet		50		50	\$260	00
<u>melanocarpa.</u> Black Chokeberry. A very desirable orna-	6	00	45	00		
mental shrub with white flowers in early spring and clusters of black fruit in autumn and early winter. Foliage colors dark red in early fall. 2 to 3 feet 3 to 4 feet	•	00 50	31	00		
AZALEA arborescens. Sweet Azalea. Large, fragrant, white flowers in early summer. Of easy culture and lasting beauty. 1½ to 2 feet. X heavy clumps B&B	27 32	00	250	00		
varied native species. Flowers vary from red-orange to canary. Conspicuous in early summer throughout						
the Carolina mountains. 6 to 12 inches		00	45 120		425 1080	
2 to 3 feet. XX heavy clumps B&B	17	50	150 265	00	1450	
2 to 3 feet. Collected clumps B&B	10	00	80	00	700	
3 to 4 feet. Collected clumps B&B	15 3	50 00	110 25		100 0 220	

Write for prices on carload lots of Azalea calendulacea, Flame Azalea; Azalea canescens, Piedmont Azalea; Azalea nudiflora, Pinxter Bloom; Kalmia latifolia, Mountain Laurel; Leucothoe catesbæi, Drooping Leucothoe; Rhododendron catawbiense, Catawba Rhododendron; Rhododendron maximum, Rosebay Rhododendron.

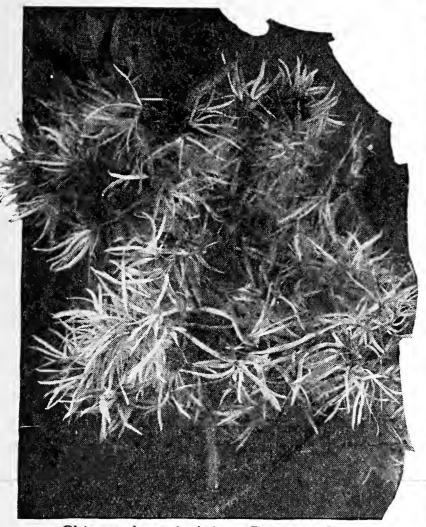


Azalea vaseyi makes a glorious show of color

HARDY NATIVE DECIDUOUS TREES AND SHRUBS, continued nudiflora. Pinxter Bloom. Very handsome, free-flowering shrub, with showy, deep pink flowers in profusion 60 00 575 00 120 00 180 00 Cut-back collected clumps (Roots)................ 3 60 265 00 30 00 vaseyi. Pink-shell Azalea. A distinct and remarkably free-flowering hardy shrub of extreme rarity and beauty. The flowers are an exquisite shade of pink or rose and appear in profusion before the leaves unfold in early spring. In autumn the foliage assumes deep rich shades of red and crimson. 50 00 400 00 90 00 800 **00** 130 00 1600 00 175 00 235 00 60 00 120 00 **BETULA lenta.** Sweet Birch. Large tree. Shining green, thick foliage. Twigs and bark fragrant. Recom-60 00

100 00

HARDY NATIVE DECIDUOUS TREES AND SHI	RU	BS,	conti	nu	ed
Betula lutea. Yellow Birch. Yellowish silvery bark and thin, finely cut leaves. 9 to 12 feet	27	50	100		1,000
CARPINUS caroliniana. American Hornbeam. Leaves oval with sharp teeth on the edge; turn to golden in autumn. 6 to 8 feet					
CERCIS canadensis. American Redbud. A small tree with spreading branches, fast growing and wonderfully floriferous. Decidedly one of our best flowering trees and worthy of consideration. 2 to 3 feet 4 to 6 feet			\$48 (75 (
CHIONANTHUS virginica. White Fringe-Tree. Small tree. Free bloomer in early spring. Large white flowers in					
drooping panicles. 6 to 12 inches	5 9 12	50 00 50	37 0 70 0	00 00	
CLETHRA alnifolia. Summersweet. Sturdy, compact shrub, 3 to 5 feet tall. Leaves dark green and lustrous. Flowers creamy white, fragrant, in erect, panicled racemes. 3 to 4 feet. X B&B	9	00			
COMPTONIA asplenifolia. Sweetfern. Much-branched, with brown bark. Very effective and recommended for dry upland, in sun or partial shade.					
CORNUS florida. Flowering Dogwood. Most beautiful	4	50	36 (00	300 00
small flowering trees in early spring. 2 to 3 feet 3 to 4 feet	9	00	75 110		
5 to 6 feet. X B&B	15	00	125	00 00	1150 00
florida rubra. Red-flowering Dogwood. 7 to 8 feet 8 to 10 feet	10	00	700 1000		
CRATÆGUS coccinea. Thicket Hawthorn. Thorny shrub 10 feet high, with pretty leaves and clusters of fragrant white flowers followed by scarlet berries.					
punctata. Dotted Hawthorn. Small tree 30 feet high, with stout thorns and clustered white flowers followed by dull red fruits. I to 2 feet		50			
CYTISUS scoparius. Scotch Broom. Leafless shrub of many bright green stems and twigs adorned with bright yellow pea-blossoms in late spring.	Ü				
2 to 3 feet	9 15	00			•
DIERVILLA sessilifolia. Southern Bush Honeysuckle. A shrub 4 feet high, with crowded clusters of tubular yellow flowers tinged with brown. 3 to 4 feet		00			
FORSYTHIA suspensa. Weeping Forsythia. Extremely vigorous, half-climbing shrubs bearing myriads of bright yellow, ball-like flowers in early spring.					
2 to 3 feet		00 50	50 65		





Chionanthus virginica. See page 6

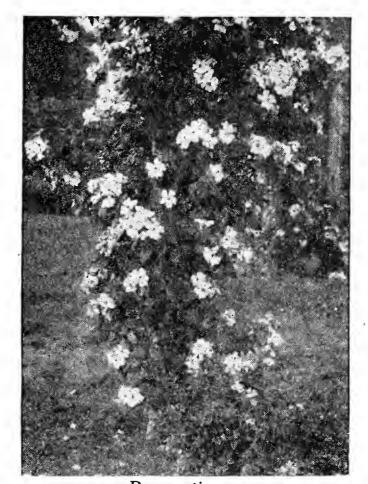
Hypericum prolificum

HARDY NATIVE DECIDUOUS TREES AND SHI	RUI	BS,	cont	inu	ied
HYDRANGEA arborescens grandiflora. Hills of Snow. Excellent low, summer-blooming shrub which produces its large, snow-white clusters of flowers in shady	10	1	10	0	1,000
places. 2 to 3 feet	\$3	70	\$31	00	
mens. Very popular. 2 to 3 feet					\$ 350 00
at first touch of frost. 2 to 3 feet		50	45	00	
prolificum. Shrubby St. John's-wort. Vigorous, hardy shrub, with compact branches and dark green leaves. Flowers bright yellow, in terminal clusters		50	37	00	350 00
in late summer. I to 2 feet	2	00	16	00	150 00
2 to 3 feet	3	75	~	00	215 00
3 to 4 feet. X strong	6	00	50	00	
ILEX monticola. Mountain Winterberry. Deciduous small tree, with spreading branches, bright green leaves, and scarlet berries in autumn.					
3 to 4 feet	ΙI	00	90	00	
verticillata. Common Winterberry. The handsome sprays of brilliant berries, which are often used for decorating, justly proclaim the high rank of this grand shrub.					
Widely distributed. 6 to 12 inches 3 to 5 feet		50 50	25	00	

HARDY NATIVE DECIDUOUS TREES AND SHI	RU	BS,	conti	nue	d	
LARIX laricina. American Larch. This is the native Tamarack, a deciduous conifer which looks like an evergreen in summer, but the foliage turns yellow and drops completely each autumn.	10)	100		1,00	o
4 to 6 feet. B&B	15	00	120 (00		
shrub. Leaves oblong. Flowers in racemes, forming terminal panicles.						
I ½ to 2 feet. Clumps B&B	7	00	55 (00		
MAGNOLIA acuminata. Cucumber-Tree. A tall tree with spreading branches. In May and June it bears many greenish yellow flowers which are followed by rosy red fruits about 3 inches long.						
I to 2 feet	4	50	36 (00		
OSTRYA virginiana. American Hop Hornbeam. Slender tree; leaves oval, bright green, turning yellow in autumn; fruit clusters resembling hops. 6 to 8 feet.	15	00				
OXYDENDRUM arboreum. Sourwood. Handsome, hardy tree that succeeds well under varied conditions.						
Beautiful autumn foliage. I to 2 ft	3	00	20 (00		
2 to 3 feet	4		35 0		\$300	
3 to 4 feet	8	00	50 C		465	00
5 to 6 feet	ΙI	00	96 (
PRUNUS maritima. Beach Plum. White flowers in May and June, followed by dull purple fruit. 2 to 4 feet	7	00				
QUERCUS alba. White Oak. Noble forest tree of bold out-						
line with attractively cut foliage. Stately and permanent.						
6 to 12 inches		60	10 (90	
I to 2 feet	_	60 50	27 5 46 0		240	00
phellos. Willow Oak. Handsome tree of moderate size with narrow, willow-like foliage.						
1 to 2 feet		75 50	25 C			
3 to 4 feet	-	00	60 0			
RHUS canadensis. Fragrant Sumac. Shrub 3 to 5 feet in						
height. Very sweet-scented, compound leaves, consisting of three bright green leaflets. Flowers yellow,						
in short spikes or clusters along branches. Fruit bright red, covered with short, silky hairs. Succeeds						
under various conditions and especially recommended for rock-gardens. I to 2 feet	1	75	37 5	:n		
2 to 3 feet. Heavy	7	00	55			
3 to 5 feet	10	00				
compound foliage turning dark brown in autumn. Panicles of brilliant red flowers in late summer;						
bright red berries in autumn.						
2 to 3 feet	•	50 00	33 5	50		
I to 2 feet. Collected	-	50	IO C	00	9 0	00
typhina. Staghorn Sumac. Small tree or large shrub with compound, beautifully colored leaves in autumn; large spikes of crimson flowers.						
6 to 8 feet	7	50	65 c	00		

⁵ plants at the 10 rate; 25 plants at the 100 rate; 250 plants at the 1,000 rate





Clethra alnifolia. See page 6

Rosa setigera

HARDY NATIVE DECIDUOUS TREES AND SHI	RU.	BS,	cont	inu	ed	
ROBINIA hispida. Rose Acacia. Shrub about 10 feet tall, with drooping clusters of rose-colored, pea-blossom flowers	I	10 100		0	1,00	
in early summer. I to 2 feet		00 60			\$275	00
ROSA setigera. Prairie Rose. A profusion of beautiful rose- pink flowers in June, sometimes climbing or covering						
the ground or walls. I to 2 feet	_	00		50 00	200 275	
RUBUS odoratus. Flowering Raspberry. Vigorous, upright shrub, with large leaves resembling those of the maple. Flowers rose-purple; berries light red, edible.	4		30		273	
I to 2 feet	2	50	18			
2 to 3 feet	3	75	30	00		
SORBUS americana. American Mountain Ash. Prized for its white blossoms and clusters of bright scarlet ornamental fruit in autumn and winter.						
I to 2 feet			45			
2 to 3 feet	•	50	60 85			
3 to 4 feet			100			
STEWARTIA pentagyna. Mountain Stewartia. Splendid shrub with spreading branches. Leaves bright green, ovate in outline, fading with glowing colors. Flowers white, large and showy, with wavy, rose-bordered petals and golden anthers, opening in summer.	12	J.	100			
Always in demand and should be included in all	_					
rare plant collections. I to 2 feet		00		-		
2 to 3 feet		00	75 135			
4 to 5 feet. X heavy B&B	21	00	185			
VACCINIUM pallidum. Blue Ridge Blueberry. Best of all Blueberries and a desirable ornamental shrub.			0			
I to 2 feet. Clumps		50		00	425	
2 to 3 teet. Heavy clumps B&B		50	-	00	625	
3 to 4 feet. Clumps B&Bstamineum. Deerberry. 1 to 2 feet. B&B		00 50		00	700	00



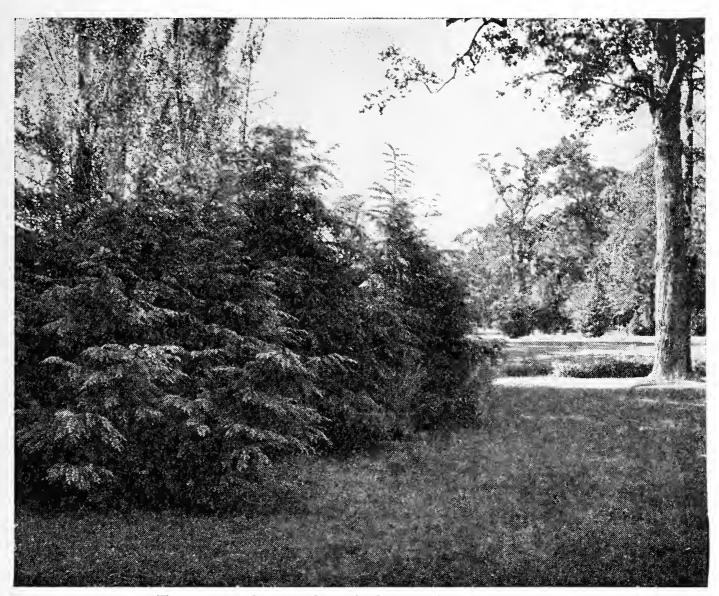


Viburnum dentatum.

Weigela rosea

HARDY NATIVE DECIDUOUS TREES AND SHRUBS, continued

viburnum cassinoides. Withe-rod. Very hardy flowering shrub that is widely distributed. The oval green leaves color beautifully in autumn. Flowers creamy white; berries pink to black. Desirable for planting	10		100	1,000
along streams and in shrubbery border. 2 to 3 feet. Heavy	9 (00 00	48 00 75 00 90 0 0 35 0 0	
dentatum. Arrowwood. A 15-foot shrub with white, long-stemmed flowers in clusters. Fruits blue-black.				
I to 2 feet	3 5 4 5 7 5	50 50 50	25 00 32 00 50 00 65 00	310 00 450 00 600 00
white flowers and dark bluish fruits. 2 to 3 feet	5 7		45 00 60 00	
WEIGELA, Eva Rathke. Red Weigela. Excellent, small shrub. Flowers deep carmine-red, erect; very free-	·			
flowering. I to 2 feet	4 ° 5 5		30 00 45 00	
2 to 3 feet	5 5		45 0 0 55 00	
ZANTHORHIZA apiifolia. Yellow-root. Attractive shrub, usually I to 2 feet tall, with yellow wood and roots. Leaves compound, consisting of about five deeply lobed, bright lustrous green leaflets. Flowers brownish purple, in drooping racemes in early spring.				
4 to 6 inches	3 5	50 :	9 00 25 00 44 00	240 00



Tsuga canadensis (Canada Hemlock). See page 15

Hardy Native Evergreen Trees and Shrubs

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ABIES concolor. White Fir. Handsome, pyramidal tree with bluish green foliage. Hardy northern Fir.	10	100	1,000
6 to 12 inches	\$2 00	\$14.00	
I to 2 feet			\$265 00
			_
2 to 3 feet. B&B			1000 00
3 to 4 feet	17 50	0 150 00	9
fraseri. Fraser Fir. Southern species. Very handsome tree and extremely hardy. Foliage fragrant, dark green.			•
1½ to 2 feet. X heavy B&B	5 50	45 00	425 00
2 to 2 feet. Y heavy B&B	3 30	45 00	
2 to 3 feet. X heavy B&B	9 00	75 00	700 00
3 to 4 feet. X heavy B&B	15 50	120 00	1100 00
4 to 6 feet. X nice trees B&B			180 0 00
6 to 8 feet	47 59	400 00	
8 to 10 feet. B&B	70 00	660 00	
BUXUS sempervirens. Common Box. Used for single speci-			
men plants and often trimmed to desired shapes.			
9 to 12 inches	7 59	60 00	
I to I $\frac{1}{2}$ feet. B&B	14 75	5 125 00	
1½ to 2 feet. B&B	35 00	335 00	
2 to 3 feet. B&B			
3 to 4 feet			
	75 00		
suffruticosa. Old English Box. Fine edging plant, or the			
larger sizes unsurpassed for specimens in conspicuous			
places. Boxwood becomes more valuable every year.			
6 to 9 inches. B&B	12 00	00 011	
9 to 12 inches. B&B	24 00	225 00	
I to 1½ feet. B&B			
1½ to 2 feet. B&B	50 00	470 00	
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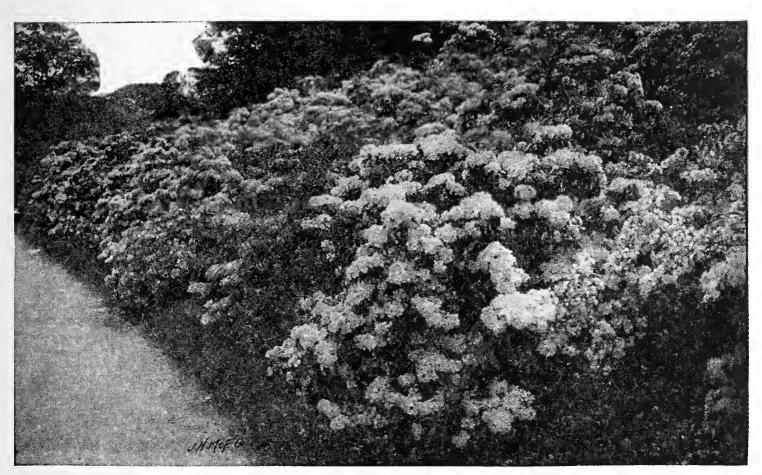


Kalmia latifolia against Tsuga caroliniana

HARDY NATIVE EVERGREEN TREES AND SHRUBS, continued

CHAMÆDAPHNE calyculata. Leatherleaf. Shrub about 5 feet high, with leathery evergreen foliage and small,	10	10	00	1,000
urn-like white flowers. 1½ to 2 feet	\$ 6 c	00 \$47	00	
ILEX glabra. Inkberry. Upright, well-branched shrub with dark green, shining leaves retained throughout the winter. Berries black.				
I to 2 feet. Clumps B&B	14 5	50 130	00	
2 to 3 feet. Clumps B&B	18 (00 170	00	
opaca. American Holly. A handsome, broad-leaved evergreen, known to many as "Christmas Holly," and much used for holiday decorations. Easy of culture and adapts itself to varied soil conditions.				
I to 2 feet	6 8	30 <u>5</u> 6	00	
2 to 3 feet			00	
3 to 4 feet. B&B	36	00 340	00	
4 to 6 feet. B&B	60 (00 550	00	
6 to 8 feet. B&B	00 (00		
8 to 10 feet. B&B	50	00		
JUNIPERUS hibernica. Irish Juniper. 2 to 3 feet. B&B	14 (00 115	00	
4 to 5 feet. B&B				
5 to 6 feet. B&B	47	50		
6 to 8 feet. B&B	55	00		
8 to 10 feet. B&B	75	00		
pfitzeriana. Pfitzer's Juniper. Plume-shaped branches covered with dull, bluish gray foliage. Useful in cities.				
I to I ½ feet. B&B				
$I^{1/2}$ to 2 feet. B&B				
2 to 3 feet	30 (00 265	00	
sabina. Savin. A trailing type with erect sprays of				
heather-like foliage. I to 1½ ft. B&B	5 3	50 45	00	

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A mass of Kalmia latifolia

HARDY NATIVE EVERGREEN TREES AND SHRUBS, continued

MOUNTAIN LAUREL

KALMIA angustifolia. Lambkill; Narrow-leaved Laurel. Flowers wheel-shaped, rosy purple with crimson marks.		О	10	0	1,000	o
I to I½ feet. B&B	\$7	00	\$6 o	00		
latifolia. Mountain Laurel This matchless Laurel is, without question, one of the most beautiful and attractive of the broad-leaved evergreen shrubs on account of its dark green, lustrous foliage and masses of glorious pink or rose-colored flowers, appearing in lavish profusion in late spring and early summer. Our stock is equal to the demand. We are able to make quick shipment.	•					
4 to 6 inches. X heavy			18	00	\$165	
6 to 12 inches. X heavy	3		_	00	235	
4 to 12 inches. Collected seedlings		20	6	00	- 00	
I to I ½ feet. X heavy clumps B&B	I 2	00	95	00	875	00
1 ½ to 2 feet. XX heavy clumps B&B			120		1100	
2 to 3 feet. XX heavy clumps B&B			180	00	1700	
3 to 4 feet. XX heavy clumps B&B			240	00	2160	
1 ½ to 2 feet. Collected clumps B&B			75	00	675	00
2 to 3 feet. Collected clumps B&B	12	00	90	00	850	00
3 to 4 feet. Collected clumps B&B			165	00	1500	00
4 to 5 feet. Collected clumps B&B	24	00	210	00	2000	00

SPECIAL CARLOAD OFFERS

A carload of Mountain Laurel containing 500 clumps, 2 to 4 ft., \$325.

A carload of Rhododendron maximum, containing 400 clumps, 2 to 4 ft., \$300.

A carload of Azalea calendulacea, containing 400 clumps, 3 to 5 ft., \$275.

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HARDY NATIVE EVERGREEN TREES AND SH	RU	BS.	con	tinu	ıed	
LEIOPHYLLUM buxifolium. Box Sand Myrtle. Neat, at-		,				
tractive shrub. Splendid border plants. White or						
ninkish flowers in early spring.	T	0	10	0	1,00	^
4 to 6 inches. Clumps B&B	\$2	60	\$27		1,00	•
6 to 9 inches. Clumps B&B	5	50	46		\$400	00
I to I ½ feet. X heavy clumps B&B		00	75		#	
buxifolium prostratum. Allegheny Sand Myrtle. Small, de-			• • •			
sirable border plant and rock-garden subject.						
4 to 6 inches. Spreading clumps	4	50	36	00	335	00
6 to 12 inches. Spreading clumps B&B	6	50	47	00		
LEUCOTHOE axillaris. Downy Leucothoë. Racemes short,						
dense-flowered; creamy white. 6 to 12 inches	4	50	36	00		
catesbæi. Drooping Leucothoë. Hardy, graceful shrub of	•	0-	/ 0 -			
wide distribution. Very ornamental and much used						
for florist's trade. Flowers fragrant, showy creamy						
white. 6 to 12 inches. Strong	2	70	21	00	185	00
I to 1½ feet. X heavy clumps B&B		00	37		360	
1½ to 2 feet. XX heavy clumps B&B		50	48	_	455	
2 to 3 feet. XX heavy clumps B&B			90		875	
Extra-quality cut-back clumps (Roots)		75	-	00	180	
MAGNOLIA glauca. Sweetbay. Slender tree or large ever-	_	13		•	100	
green shrub. Leaves oblong or oval, green on upper						
surface, pale or nearly white beneath. Flowers						
creamy white, very fragrant, cup-shaped, borne for						
several weeks in spring or early summer.						
12 to 18 inches	2	50	20	00	275	00
2 to 3 feet. XX heavy B&B	12	50	30	00	2/3	00
3 to 5 feet						
NANDINA domestica. Japanese Nandina. A pretty shrub		•				
for southern gardens, with willow-like foliage in						
great sprays, bearing great quantities of scarlet						
berries in autumn and throughout the winter.						
6 to 12 inches	1	50	36	00		
I to 2 feet. X heavy B&B	ā	00	75			
2 to 3 feet. X heavy B&B	12	50	100			
3 to 4 feet	16	50				
PIERIS floribunda. Mountain Andromeda. Extremely hardy		0 -				
ornamental evergreen, and a gem for any planting.						
Showy white flowers produced in clusters in early						
spring, lasting a long time. See page 17. 8 to 12 inches. Clumps B&B	т т	00	97	50		
I to 1½ feet. X heavy clumps B&B	T Q	00	87 165			
1 ½ to 2 feet. Clumps	24	00	225			
Cut-back collected clumps for growing on (Roots)	~4 5	50	26	00	350	00
	J	50	30	••	330	00
PICEA canadensis. White Spruce. Native tree of dense						
habit. Foliage light bluish green. Cones I to 2						
inches long, glossy brown, attractive, shapely.				00		
3 to 4 feet. X nice B&B						,
4 to 6 feet	10	00				
6 to 8 feet. B&B	25	00	225	00		
excelsa. Norway Spruce. One of our best imported ever-						
green trees. Handsome, hardy, and very graceful,						
with large brownish cones. I to 2 feet	3				220	
2 to 3 feet. B&B			55		500	00
3 to 5 feet			105			
5 to 6 feet			165			
6 to 8 feet	33	00	230	UU		
dark bluish green. Very ornamental. 6 to 12 inches.	Т	50	9	00	80	00
2 to 3 feet. B&B			65		560	
3 to 5 feet. B&B	12	00	100		500	00
5 to 6 feet. B&B	15	00	135			
6 to 8 feet. B&B	26	00	210			
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HARDY NATIVE EVERGREEN TREES AND SHRUBS Picea pungens. Colorado Spruce. Hardy, symmetrical tree. 10	, contin	ued 1,000
Very ornamental and highly recommended for general planting. 6 to 12 inches \$1 50 1 to 2 feet 4 50 2 to 3 feet 16 50	38 00	\$85 oo 365 oo
PINUS STROBUS. White Pine. Best-known American 10	100	1,000
evergreen tree. Tall and most beautiful. 5 to 6 feet. B&B. Bargain \$15 50 \$ 6 to 8 feet. B&B. REAL BARGAIN 24 00 8 to 10 feet. B&B 60 00 10 to 12 feet. B&B 70 00 12 to 15 feet. B&B 120 00 11 Very special carload prices will be made on 8 to 12-foot size. Prepaid Let us quote on your requirements	525 00 600 00 080 00	\$960 00 1800 00 4700 00 5900 00
RETINOSPORA pisifera. Sawara Cypress. A tall, pyramidal		
tree with flattened branchlets of deep glossy green. 4 to 6 feet. Heavy B&B	250 00	
TAXUS canadensis. Canada Yew. A splendid evergreen	250 00	
rarely exceeding 2 to 3 feet in height. The slender branches are clothed with yellowish green foliage. Splendid for rock-gardens, especially in cold sections.		
6 to 12 inches		
I to I½ feet. B&B	55 00	500 00
THUJA occidentalis. American Arborvitæ. A beautiful, symmetrical evergreen, extensively planted and too		
well known to need description. 2 to 3 feet. B&B 5 50	45 00	400 00
3 to 5 feet. B&B 8 oo	75 00	725 00
5 to 6 feet. B&B	110 00	
8 to 10 feet 30 00		
occidentalis globosa. Globe Arborvitæ. The light green		
foliage and dwarf, globular form make it useful in formal planting and in tubs and window-boxes.		
1½ to 2 feet. Heavy B&B		
2 to 3 feet. Heavy B&B		•
TSUGA canadensis. Canada Hemlock. Tall, graceful tree		
with spreading branches; beautiful for park or land- scape. One of our best hedge products and becoming		
more popular for general planting. 6 to 12 inches. 1 60	10 00	87 50
1½ to 2 feet. XX quality B&B 7 00	60 00	550 00
2 to 3 feet. XX quality B&B	110 00 145 00	1000 00 1350 0 0
4 to 5 feet. Heavy B&B	180 00	1750 00
5 to 6 feet. Heavy B&B 30 00	275 00	2650 00
6 to 7 feet. Heavy B&B	500 00 600 00	
8 to 10 feet. Heavy B&B	1100 00	
10 to 12 feet. Heavy B&B140 00	1300 00	
12 to 15 feet. Heavy B&B	1500 00	
caroliniana. Carolina Hemlock. Queen of American	1900 00	
evergreen trees. One of the hardiest evergreens from		
the Carolina mountains. 9 to 18 inches 3 50	24 50	200 00
I to I ½ feet. X strong B&B		455 0 0 650 0 0
2 to 3 feet. XX heavy B&B 12 50	110 00	1000 00
3 to 4 feet. XX heavy B&B	175 00 235 00	1650 00 2100 00
5 to 6 feet. XX heavy B&B 40 00	355 00	
6 to 8 feet. XX heavy B&B 55 00	500 00	
8 to 9 feet. XX heavy B&B 80 00	750 00	



Rhododendron maximum in border planting

Rhododendrons

RHODODENDRON CATAWBIENSE · Catawba Rhododendron

Probably the most vigorous, hardy, free-blooming variety, with gorgeous display of rosy purple flowers in early summer. Foliage dark green and exceedingly showy. Hardiest of all Rhododendrons. Special price on carload orders. 10 100 1,000

of all Rhododendrons. Special price on carload orders.	IO	100	1,000
4 to 8 inches. Strong transplanted		\$18 00	\$165 00
8 to 12 inches. Strong transplanted	3 50	25 00	240 0 0
I to I½ feet. Bushy B&B	8 75	66 00	640 0 0
9 to 18 inches. Heavy clumps B&B	12 00	100 00	900 00
1½ to 2 feet. X heavy clumps B&B	16 oc	140 00	1300 00
2 to 3 feet. X heavy clumps B&B	24 00	200 00	1900 00
3 to 4 feet. X heavy clumps B&B	39 50	360 00	
Cut-back clumps (Roots)	4 50	33 50	325 00
4 to 12 inches. Collected seedlings	I 20	6 00	50 00
2 to 3 feet. Collected clumps B&B	21 OC	195 00	1800 00
3 to 4 feet. Collected clumps B&B	35 00	285 00	2750 OO
4 to 5 feet. Collected clumps B&B	55 oc	480 00	

RHODODENDRON CATAWBIENSE COMPACTA

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A compact variety of Catawba Rhododendron from high			est of all
Rhododendrons. Rosy purple to pink. Unlimited supply.	10	100	1,000
6 to 12 inches. Bushy			
9 to 12 inches. Clumps B&B	9 50	70 00	680 o o
I to I½ feet. X heavy clumps B&B	15 50	120 00	1100 00
1½ to 2 feet. X heavy clumps B&B	21 50	180 oo	1690 00
Cut-back clumps (Roots)	6 00	4 8 0 0	415 00

Note.—Special price promptly quoted for carload shipments in best collected stock from our special collecting-fields. We have approximately 100,000 extra-grade Rhododendron plants and solicit your orders for any quantity.

RHODODENDRON CAROLINIANUM · Carolina Rhododendron

A species from the southern Alleghany Mountains. Earliest flowering native Rhododendron. It is a fine bloomer, with light to deep pink flowers.

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10	100	1,000
I to 1½ feet. Heavy clumps B&B\$13 50	\$110 00	\$950 00
1½ to 2 feet. XX heavy clumps B&B	155 00	1410 00
2 to 3 feet. X heavy clumps B&B	215 00	1950 00
3 to 4 feet. X heavy clumps B&B 35 00	275 00	
Cut-back clumps for growing on (Roots) 4 50	37 50	360 0 0
3 to 4 feet. Collected clumps B&B	210 00	2000 00
carolinianum album. White Carolina Rhododendron.		
Dwarf, early-blooming variety from Piedmont		
Section. Rare and most beautiful.		
I to 1½ feet. Clumps B&B	165 00	
1½ to 2 feet. Heavy clumps B&B	190 00	
2 to 3 feet. Heavy clumps B&B	250 00	
Cut-back collected clumps (Roots)	48 00	430 00
3 to 4 feet. Clumps B&B	350 00	
RHODODENDRON minus (punctatum). Piedmont Rhododendron. Bold shrub with pinkish white flowers		
curiously spotted with green dots.		
2 to 3 feet. X heavy clumps B&B	215 00	
3 to 4 feet. X heavy clumps B&B 30 00	255 00	

RHODODENDRON MAXIMUM · Rosebay

This is the most familiar and grandest species and most used for massing and naturalistic planting of all native broad-leaved evergreens. Flowers pinkish white, in large clusters in July. We are prepared to supply splendid plants in all sizes. Special quotations for carload shipments. Send in your list of requirements early to allow best opportunity of serving.

tunity of scrving.	10	100	1,000
4 to 6 inches	\$ 1 65	\$12 00	\$110 00
6 to 12 inches. Bushy	3 00	2 I 50	200 0 0
I to I½ feet. X heavy clumps B&B	8 50	7 0 0 0	66 o oo
1½ to 2 feet. XX heavy clumps B&B	I2 00	9 0 00	800 00
2 to 3 feet. XX heavy clumps B&B	16 50	145 00	1350 0 0
3 to 4 feet. XX heavy clumps B&B	22 00	175 00	1650 00
4 to 5 feet. XX heavy clumps B&B	40 00	350 00	_
2 to 3 feet. Collected clumps B&B	14 50	110 00	1000 00
3 to 4 feet. Collected clumps B&B	18 00	150 00	1400 00
4 to 5 feet. Collected clumps B&B	29 50	240 00	2 3 00 0 0
5 to 6 feet. Collected clumps B&B	48 00	400 00	
4 to 12 inches. Collected seedlings		4 80	42 0 0
Cut-back extra-quality clumps (Roots)		24 00	210 00



We have an extra-fine stock of Pieris floribunda. See page 14 for sizes and prices

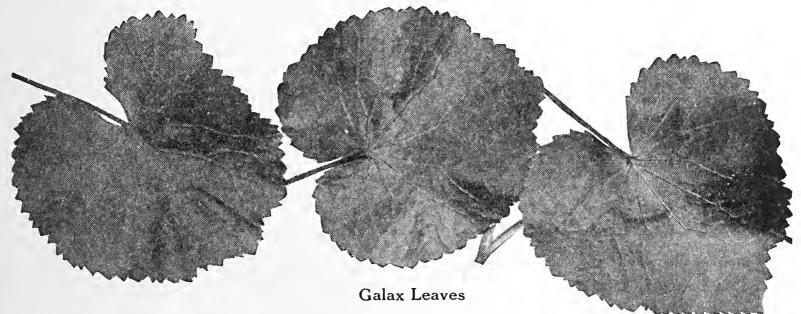


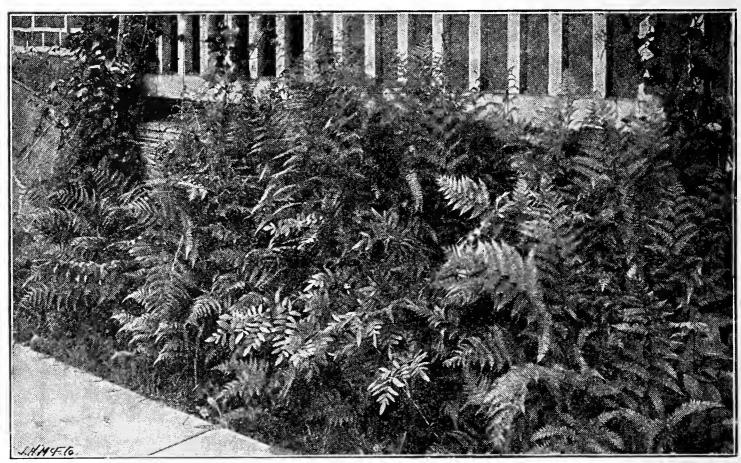
Epigæa repens (Trailing Arbutus)

Hardy Vines, Climbers, and Creepers

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AMPELOPSIS quinquefolia. Virginia Creeper. High-climbing vine, clinging to walls and trees, with beautifully	I	0	10	0	1,00	0
	\$2	8o	\$20	00	\$180	00
BIGNONIA radicans. Trumpet Creeper. Bold shrub with interesting foliage and partially climbing habit. The huge flowers are trumpet shaped and vary from						
bright brownish orange to vivid scarlet. 2 to 3 feet CELASTRUS scandens. American Bittersweet. High-climb-	3	50	25	00	235	00
ing vine; very ornamental. I to 2 feet	2	50	18	00	170	00
2 to 3 feet. X strong		50	30		290	
3 to 5 feet. X strong	-	00	37		350	
CLEMATIS crispa. Curly Clematis. Graceful vine. Purple						
flowers in midsummer. Strong	2	8 o	18	50	170	00
paniculata. Sweet Autumn Clematis. Strong		75	25	_	240	
virginiana. Virgin's Bower. Popular for general planting.	Ü		· ·			
X strong	I	40	9	00	8 o	00
DIOSCOREA villosa. Yam. Showy vine, with leaves turning						
golden yellow in autumn. Strong	I	20	8	00	70	00
EPIGÆA repens. Trailing Arbutus. Charming plant, with						
very fragrant, white or pink flowers. Strong clumps.	2	15	16	00	150	00
GALAX aphylla. Galax. One of our best ground-cover plants for shady locations. The very ornamental bronze and green leaves are much used in florist's trade.						
X heavy clumps	1	65	13	00	120	00
GAULTHERIA procumbens. Wintergreen. Very desirable ground-cover, with brilliant green and bronze leaves.						
Bright red, edible fruit in winter. Strong clumps HOUSTONIA serpyllifolia. Creeping Bluets. 3 to 6 inches. Light blue or white, blooming about all summer. Splendid for rock-garden, potting, or border. Un-		65		00		00
limited supply of this unusual ground-cover. Clumps.	2	00	18	00	170	00
or open locations. Leaves green. Flowers blue.						
Strong clumpsverna. Vernal Iris. Blue flowers. Splendid ground-cover.	I	55	12	00	110	00
Clumps	I	65	12	00	110	00
strong-growing vine. Hall's Honeysuckle. Very						
flowers in summer and autumn. Best for trellises and		60	T T	00	100	00
ground-cover. X strong. 3-year		60 00	11	00	100 50	
become size. was gain. 2-year	1	00	U	00	20	50

HARDY VINES, CLIMBERS, AND CREEPER	s,	con	tinued	
Lonicera sempervirens. Trumpet Honeysuckle. A high-climbing vine with glorious large, scarlet flowers blazing like torches in their fiery array. This splendid vine is unexcelled in hardiness, and is much used for porches, verandas, and general planting.		0	100	1,000
Strong established plants	\$3	00	\$22 50	\$210 00
PACHYSANDRA terminalis. Japanese Pachysandra. Evergreen ground-cover. Recommended for shady locations. X strong.		80		120 00
PHLOX stolonifera. Creeping Phlox. A free-growing ground-cover. Reddish purple flowers in early spring.	-	1)	15 00	140 00
Strongsubulata. Moss Pink. Splendid for ground-cover or rock-	I	65	13 00	120 00
garden. Strong clumps	Ι	75	13 00	120 00
Strong clumps	I	45	8 00	70 00
X strong ternatum. Mountain Stonecrop. Handsome creeping ground-cover with white flowers in early spring.	2	00	16 00	150 00
Widely distributed. Strong clumps		20	8 00	70 00
SHORTIA galacifolia. Oconee Bells. Esteemed rare evergreen ground-cover, best suited to shade. Heavy clumps Second size	2	15 20	18 oo 8 oo	•
vinca minor. Common Periwinkle. Hardy, old-fashioned evergreen vine, well adapted for ground-cover and rockery. Succeeds best in cool, shady locations. Blue flowers in early spring. Foliage very dark green.				
Strong	I	55 00 65	•	45 00
VITIS cordifolia. Frost Grape. One of our most vigorous- growing American vines, often climbing to tops of tall trees.				
I to 2 feet. Strong seedling plants	١	25	15 00	
vine with beautiful sweet-scented pale blue flowers. 9 to 18 inches. Seedlings		00	15 00	125 00





Planting of Hardy Ferns

Hardy Native Ferns

For shady locations, no class of plants can equal the Ferns. They are easily grown in ordinary soils and will often thrive where it is impossible to make flowering plants succeed. We handle large quantities of Ferns annually and recommend the following:

ADIANTUM pedatum. American Maidenhair Fern. Deciduous. One of the most distinct and beautiful.	I	0	100		1,000	0
Extra strong	\$ 1	55	\$ 8 (00	\$70	00
ATHYRIUM filixfemina. Lady Fern. Large, deciduous Fern. Exceedingly showy. X strong	I	55	9 (00	80	00
BOTRYCHIUM virginianum. Rattlesnake Fern. Deciduous. Triangular fronds, deeply cut. Showy. Strong	I	55	9 (00	80	00
CYSTOPTERIS bulbifera. Berry Bladderfern. Deciduous. Strong.	I	65	II (00	100	00
DICKSONIA punctilobula. Hay-scented Fern. A very hand- some, vigorous-growing, deciduous species. Recom- mended for shade or open locations. Widely dis- tributed. Extra-heavy clumps	I	45	6	50	60	00
DRYOPTERIS filix-mas. Male Fern. Delicate, finely cut fronds. Fine effects when massed. Strong goldiana. Goldie Fern. Deciduous. X strong hexagonoptera. Winged Woodfern. Deciduous. Broad,		80 50	II (20 (95 175	
triangular fronds. Strong	I	45	10 (00	90	00
species. X heavy		45 35	9 (80 70	
Štrong	I	35	9 (00	80	00

TRILLIUMS, Assorted, First Size. Our Selection of Varieties.
Trilliums will thrive in shade or partial shade 100 See pages 23 and 24

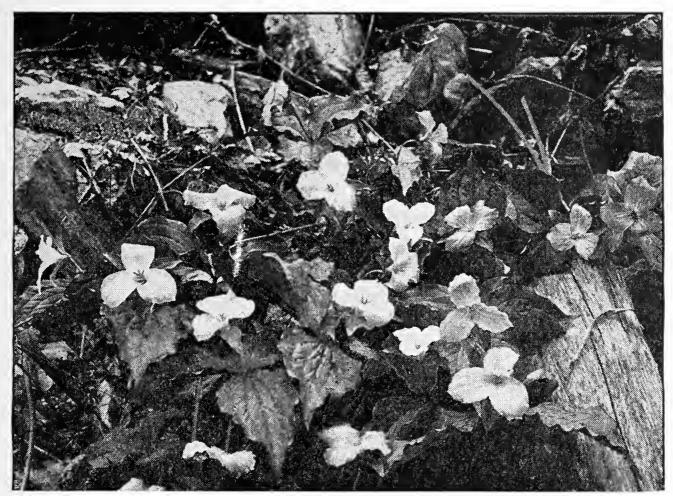
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ONOCLEA sensibilis. Sensitive Fern. Deciduous. Suitable for dry or moist locations	00
osmunda cinnamomea. Cinnamon Fern. Deciduous; stately; very large. X strong	00
attractive species. X strong	00
POLYPODIUM vulgare. Common Polypody. A charming little evergreen Fern. Excellent for rockery.	00
	00
and extremely ornamental. Much used for florist's	00
8	00
WOODWARDIA virginica. Virginia Chain-Fern. Deciduous.	00
Succeeds best in moist, shady location. A strong, vigorous-growing species. Strong established plants	00
SPECIAL COLLECTION. 100 assorted Ferns, \$6; 1,000 for \$50	
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Native Lilies for Naturalizing or Specimens	
	,000
high. Flowers in various shades of orange, yellow, and red. Very ornamental. First size \$2 00 \$13 00 \$12	
high. Flowers in various shades of orange, yellow, and red. Very ornamental. First size	
LILIUM canadense. Canada Lily. Slender stems 2 to 4 feet high. Flowers in various shades of orange, yellow, and red. Very ornamental. First size	00
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⁵ plants at the 10 rate; 25 plants at the 100 rate; 250 plants at the 1,000 rate

Hardy Aquatic and Bog Plants

raite, riquate and bog	- A					
ASTER novæ-angliæ. New England Aster. Narrow grayish leaves and many star-like lavender to purple flowers.			10	0	1,0	00
X heavy puniceus. Swamp Aster. Lilac-blue; tall. Heavy clumps.	\$1 I	45 20	\$11 7	00	\$6 o	00
CALTHA palustris. Marsh Marigold. Beautiful marsh plants. Flowers bright yellow. Showy. Strong	I	45	10	00	90	00
Flowers white to rose. Suitable for dry or wet locations. X strong	I	35	-10	00	90	00
lyoni. Pink Turtlehead. Flowers red or rose. Splendid bog plant. X strong		35	10		90	
CICUTA maculata. Spotted Waterhemlock. Height 3 to 5 feet. Finely cut leaves. Flowers white. Strong	I	20	7	00	60	00
CORNUS canadensis. Bunchberry. Height 5 to 8 inches. Deciduous. Flowers white or yellowish. Bright red						
berries in clusters. Strong clumpy plants DARLINGTONIA californica. California Pitcher Plant. An interesting bog plant. Purple flowers. Strong	4		32			
DIONÆA muscipula. Venus' Flytrap. A strong and most unusual plant that captures flies and other insects for	3	75	47	30		
food. Rare and very interesting. Strong HEMEROCALLIS fulva. Tawny Day Lily. Stems 2 to 4 feet	2	85	18	00	165	00
high. Flowers tawny orange, very showy. Strong IRIS pseudacorus. Yellow Flag. Stems 3 to 5 feet high.	I	35	9	00	80	00
Large, sword-shaped leaves; yellow flowers. Strong. versicolor. Blue Flag. Height 2 to 4 feet. Suitable for		15		50	140	
border planting along ponds and streams. Strong MERTENSIA virginica. Virginia Bluebells. Height 9 to 18 inches. Green foliage and showy blue flowers.	Ι	70	9	00	8 o	00
First size Second size		70 20		00	110 70	
XX Large MONARDA didyma. Oswego Bee-Balm. Height 3 to 5 feet.		50	_	00		
One of our most brilliant perennials. Leafy stems with bright scarlet flowers. Strong	I	45	9	00	80	00
SARRACENIA flava. Trumpet Pitcher Plant. Interesting bog plant. Height I to 2 feet. Yellowish green						
trumpet-shaped leaf. Large yellow flowers. X strong minor. Hooded Pitcher Plant. Leaves erect, trumpet-shaped, 6 to 15 inches high, deciduous, spotted with	2	75	22	50	200	00
white. Yellowish summit flowers in May. Strong purpurea. Common Pitcher Plant. Hardy plant 9 to	3	50	27	50		
15 inches high. Succeeds best in mossy bogs. Flowers purplish yellow. Strong	2	75	22	50	200	00
ers crimson, with scent of sweet violet. Strong	3	50	27	50		
SAXIFRAGA virginiensis. Virginia Saxifrage. Height 6 to 18 inches. Lettuce-like foliage. Flowers white. Damp locations. Strong	ī	65	10	00	90	00
SYMPLOCARPUS fœtidus. Skunk-cabbage. Leaves large, I to 2 feet long, heart-shaped. Flowers small, mot-		00	•		90	
tled purplish brown and greenish yellow, packed on fleshy stems. Blooms in early spring. Strong VERATRUM viride. American False Hellebore. Height 2 to	3	00	25	00		
4 feet. Yellowish green plant with large leaves. Succeeds well in either dry or moist soil. Flowers						
greenish white, in early spring. X strong	I	80	13	00	120	00

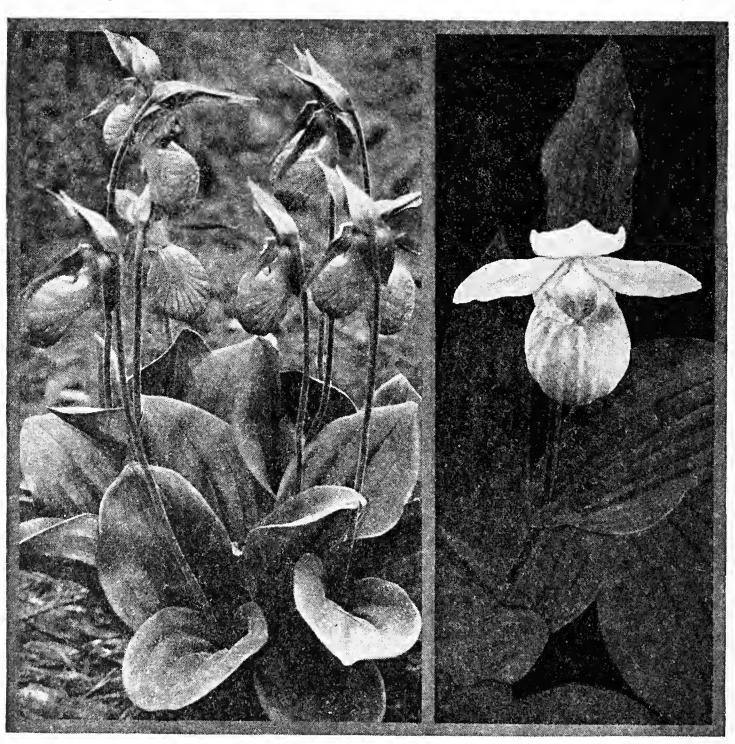


Trillium grandiflorum. See page 24

Hardy Native Plants for Rock-Gardens

APLECTRUM HYEMALE. Puttyroot. Pointed green leaf- stalk about a foot high. Flowers large, greenish		0	10 #-		1,00	
brown. Extremely hardy. Strong	ÞΙ	40	\$ 9	00	\$80	00
feet. Strong, fleshy top and conspicuous greenish white flowers. First size	I	20	9	00	8o	00
CONVALLARIA majalis. Lily-of-the-Valley. Height 6 to 18 inches. Soft green leaves. Flowers fragrant, white. Prefers partial shade. Strong	I	20	8	00	70	00
DICENTRA canadensis. Squirrelcorn. Small plant growing best in shade. White flowers in early spring. Strong. cucullaria. Dutchman's-Breeches. Oddly shaped yellow-	I	20	8	00	70	00
white flowers in early spring. Strongeximia. Fringed Bleeding-Heart. Height 6 to 18 inches. Graceful fern-like foliage and deep rose flowers nodding in slender scape-like racemes all summer. A	I	20	8	00	70	00
splendid rock-garden subject. Heavy clumps First size Second size	2	50 40 20	18	00 00 00	265 170 70	
5 to 10 inches. Green mottled leaves. Bright yellow flowers in early spring. Flowering size	I	00	7	00	55	00
NARCISSUS. Daffodil. Best assorted varieties. Homegrown. Strong blooming size	I	20	5	00	40	00
TRILLIUM cernuum. Nodding Trillium. White or pink flowers. April. Large, broad leaves. First size	I	35	8	00	70	00
9 to 18 inches high. Large red fruit. Flowers brown to purple. Early, vigorous spring bloomer. Large		,				
stock ready for prompt delivery. XX largest		35		00	70	
First size	I	00	_	00	•	00
Second sizeerectum album. Wax Trillium. Flowers white. Blooms in	т	75 20		00	20 70	
early May. First size	Ţ	20	J	00	70	00

HARDY NATIVE PLANTS FOR ROCK-GARDE	ENS	S, c	ontir	ued	I	
Trillium grandiflorum. Snow Trillium. The finest and largest species. Flowers 2 to 3 inches across, in early spring, white turning to rose color. One of our best spring bloomers. We have more than 150,000 strong flowering bulbs for prompt shipment. For woodland and	I	0	10	0	1,0	00
border plantings. Early orders solicited. XX largest	\$1	35	\$8	00	\$ 70	00
First size. X quality	I	IO	4	00	30	00
Second size		60	I	50	11	00
woodland. Strong first sizestylosum. Rose Trillium. Height 10 to 18 inches. Large, rose-pink, nodding flowers. XX largest		45 25		00 00	90	00
Strong first size		² 5 75		00	80	00
Second size undulatum. Painted Trillium. Strong, vigorous grower. Height 8 to 15 inches. Earliest bloomer of all Trilliums. Large flowers with scarlet and white		10	-	00		00
markings. XX largest	I	80	Q	00	80	00
Strong first size		20		00		00



Cypripedium acaule

Cypripedium spectabile



Cypripedium pubescens

Hardy Native Orchids

CALOPOGON pulchellus. Grass-pink Orchid. Height I to I 1/2 feet. Grass-like foliage. Pink flowers. Showy	10)	10	o	1,00	00
and succeeds well in cultivation. Strong	\$ 1	55	\$10	00	\$90	0 0
CYPRIPEDIUM acaule. Pink Lady's Slipper. Height 6 to						
15 inches. Thick clusters of leaves flat on ground. Large, bright purple-pink, upright flowers in early spring. One of the most beautiful native Orchids.						
X strong. First size	3	50	25	00	230	00
Flowering second size	Ĭ	-	•	00	90	00
XX largest clumps	6		45	00		
XX largest clumpsparviflorum. Small Yellow Lady's Slipper. Fragrant.						
First size	3	50	25	50		
pubescens. Common Lady's Slipper. Height 12 to 20 inches. Flowers bright yellow in May.						
X first size	3	50	-	00	230	
Flowering second size		55		00	100	00
XX largest clumps	6	50	45	00		
spectabile. Showy Lady's Slipper. Height 1 to 21/2 feet.						
Extra-strong grower in peat soils. White to rose-						
colored flowers in June and July. By far the best of						
all Cypripediums. We have splendid stock of						
several thousand strong clumps, and shipment can						
be made promptly.		_				
X first size, I to 3 crowns	•	60	35			
Heavy clumps, 4 to 8 crowns	ΙΙ	00	100	00		
HABENARIA ciliaris. Yellow Fringe Orchid. Height 2½ feet. Flowers orange or yellow, the petals and lip						
fringed: in 6-inch spikes. Strong	2	50	16	OO	150	00
psycodes. Small Purple Fringe Orchid. Height 9 to 18						
inches. Best suited to shade. Strong	2	50	16	00	150	00
ORCHIS spectabilis. Showy Orchis. Best adapted to shady locations. Height 6 to 12 inches. Flowers showy,						
pink-purple, in early spring. Strong	2	50	16	00	150	00

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Hardy Native Herbaceous Perennials

This list contains a variety of Herbaceous Plants furnishing a succession of bloom from early spring to late autumn, all having been tried out with success in cultivation. The height indicates the approximate height of each plant as found in wild state. The time of blooming naturally depends on locality.

ACONITUM uncinctum Clamboning Montrahand Unight			
ACONITUM uncinatum. Clambering Monkshood. Height 3 to 6 feet. Blue, hood-shaped flowers. Strong	\$2 00	\$15 00	1,000 \$140 00
ACTÆA alba. White Baneberry. Height 1½ to 3 feet. Flower-stalk red. White flowers and berries. Strong	1 50	11 00	
ALLIUM tricoccum. Woodleek. Height 6 to 12 inches. Flowers greenish white in early spring.			
Strong	I 25	9 00	
AQUILEGIA canadensis. American Columbine. Height I to 2 feet. Showy, cut leaves. Reddish flowers with scarlet-yellow inside in May and June. Splendid for			
rock-garden. Strong	I 55	11 00	
ARUNCUS sylvester. Goat's Beard. Height 4 to 6 feet. Cut leaves and white flowers in May and June. X strong.	1 30	9 00	80 00
ASARUM canadense. Canada Wild Ginger. Kidney-shaped leaves. Grows 2 to 4 inches high with single purplish flower close to the ground. Succeeds best in shady			
locations. Strong.	I 20	8 00	70 00
shuttleworthi. Mottled Wild Ginger. Evergreen. Leaves large, round, heart-shaped. X strong	1 8 0	15 00	140 00
ASCLEPIAS tuberosa. Butterfly Weed. Height 1 to 2 feet.			
Very showy orange or red flowers. X strong	I 80	13 00	120 00
Second size	90	6 00	55 00
5 feet in height. Large, compound leaves. Yellowish white flowers. Very ornamental. Succeeds best in			
shady locations. X strong	I 00	-5 00	40 00
Abundant yellow flowers in June. Showy. X strong.	2 40	16 o o	150 00
CAMPANULA divaricata. North Carolina Harebell. Height 1 to 2 feet. Pale blue, bell-shaped flowers in July.			
Good for rockery. Strong	1 40	9 00	80 00
CAREX fraseri. Fraser Sedge. Height 9 to 18 inches. Rare, broad-leaved evergreen. White flowers in spikes, in			
March. Best suited for shade. Strong CAULOPHYLLUM thalictroides. Blue Cohosh. Height 2 to	2 00	15 00	
3 feet. Yellowish green flowers in April. Fruit blue and showy. Strong	I 10	7 00	60 00
CHAMÆLIRIUM luteum. Fairywand. Height 1 to 2 feet.	1 10	7 00	00 00
Spike of small flowers in June. Showy. X strong	I 45	9 00	8 o oo
CIMICIFUGA americana. American Bugbane. Height 3 to 6 feet. Snowy white flowers in August. Leaves			
divided. Strong	1 50	11 00	
white. Decompound leaves. X heavy	I 20	7 00	6 o oo
CLINTONIA borealis. Bluebead. Height 6 to 12 inches.	7 00	9 00	70.00
Greenish yellow flowers in June. Strong umbellulata. Speckled Clintonia. Height 9 to 15 inches.	I 20	8 00	70 00
Fragrant white flowers in June. Strong	I 20	8 00	70 00
I to 3 feet. Leaves opposite, large-toothed, ovate,			
pointed. Flowers lemon-scented, clustered. Succeeds best in damp, rich woods. Strong	I 35	9 00	8 o oo

HARDY NATIVE HERBACEOUS PERENNIAI	S, con	tinued	
COREOPSIS lanceolata. Lance Coreopsis. Height 2 to 4 feet. Free bloomer. Yellow flowers in July. Strong	10 \$1 20	100 \$8 00	1,000 \$70 00
DIPHYLLEIA cymosa. Umbrellaleaf. Height I to 3 feet. Large lobed leaves. White flowers in May. Purple showy fruit in bunches. Prefers moist locations.			
X strong	I 20	9 00	80 00
DISPORUM lanuginosum. Fairy Bells. Height 1 to 3 feet. Greenish flowers in May. Fruit red. Strong	I 40	9 00	80 oo
DODECATHEON meadia. Common Shooting-Star. Very showy pink and purple flowers. Strong	1 8o	13 00	120 00
EPILOBIUM angustifolium. Blooming Sally. Tall plant with spire-like clusters of purple flowers. Strong	I 45	10 00	90 00
EUPATORIUM purpureum. Joe-Pye-Weed. Height 4 to 8 feet. Purple flowers in large panicles in June.			•
X strong	I 40	9 00	80 00



Plants for the Rock-Garden

- 5 Leiophyllum buxifolium prostratum.
 Allegheny Sand Myrtle.
- 10 Sedum ternatum. Mountain Stone-crop. White flowers in early spring.
- 5 Habenaria ciliaris. Yellow Fringe Orchid. Handsome yellow flowers suitable for the rock-garden.
- 5 Dicentra eximia. Fringed Bleeding-Heart. Deep rose flowers and fern-like foliage all summer. Height 10 to 18 inches.
- 5 Campanula divaricata. North Carolina Harebell. Pale blue, bell-shaped flowers in early summer. Height 12 to 18 inches.

- 5 Asclepias tuberosa. Butterfly Weed. Orange or red flowers. Height 15 to 24 inches.
- 5 Heuchera americana. American Alumroot. Greenish white flowers in June. Foliage mottled bronze in late fall.
- 5 Houstonia purpurea. Mountain Houstonia. Purple flowers all summer. Height 6 to 12 inches.
- 5 Xerophyllum asphodeloides. Turkey's-Beard. White flowers on spikes 3 to 5 feet tall.
- 5 Yucca gloriosa. Common. White bell-shaped flowers in July and August, on spikes that may be 6 feet or more in height.

Five to 10 plants of each variety (55 plants in all) for only \$7





Aruncus sylvester. See page 26

Coreopsis lanceolata. See page 27

HARDY NATIVE HERBACEOUS PERENNIAI	LS,	con	tinu	ied		
EUPHORBIA corollata. Flowering Spurge. Height 1 to 4 feet. White flowers in August. Strong				00 00	1,0 \$80	
GENTIANA andrewsi. Closed Gentian. Height 10 to 18 inches. Foliage green. Blue closed flowers in September. Strong	I	20	8	00	70	00
GERANIUM maculatum. Wild Geranium. Large, showy perennial with cut leaves. Light blue flowers in April and May. Strong	I	40	9	00	80	00
GILLENIA trifoliata. Bowman's Root. Height 2 to 4 feet. Handsome cut foliage. Pure white or rose-tinted flowers in June. Splendid for massing among						
shrubbery. X strong	Ι	20	7	00	60	00
April. X strong clumps	I	40	9	00	80	00
flowers to appear in the spring. Strong HEUCHERA americana. American Alum-root. Height 1 to 2 feet. Large-lobed leaves beautifully mottled bronze in early winter. Flowers greenish white in June.	I	55	10	00	90	00
Splendid rock-garden subject. X strong villosa. Hairy Alum-root. Height 12 to 18 inches. Good		50		00	80	
for rockery. White flowers in August. X strong HOUSTONIA purpurea. Mountain Houstonia. Height 6 to		20		00		0 0
18 inches. Purple flowers in July. Strong HYDRASTIS canadensis. Goldenseal. Height 10 to 20 inches. A medicinal herb of great value.	Ι	20	7	00	60	00
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LIATRIS pycnostachya. Cattail Gayfeather. X strong		00 75	13	50	120	00
scariosa. Large Button-Gayfeather. Strong spicata. Spike Gayfeather. Height 3 to 5 feet. Spikes of		50	10		90	
purple flowers in August. Strong	I	20	8	00	70	00

HARDY NATIVE HERBACEOUS PERENNIAL	۶.	cor	ıtinu	ed	
I ORFITA cordinalis of the transfer of the tra		10	10	0	1,00 0 \$90 00
syphilitica. Large Blue Lobelia. Height 1 to 3 feet. Large blue flower in late August. Strong			10		90 00
MITELLA diphylla. Bishops-Cap. Stems 6 to 12 inches high, hairy. Leaves heart-shaped, lobed and toothed. Flowers white. Extra-strong plants					
PANAX quinquefolium. American Ginseng. Root large, spindle-shaped, often forked. Stem 9 to 18 inches high. Leaves 3 in whorl, divided into leaflets. Flowers greenish white. Fruit bright red berry.	1	40	8	00	70 00
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PHLOX divaricata. Blue Phlox. Height 10 inches. Bears a profusion of large, fragrant, lavender flowers in May.		33	9	00	05 00
Strong	I	8 o	13	00	120 00
I to 1½ feet. Large, light green leaves. White flowers in May. Prefers shade. Strong	I	20	7	00	60 00
POLYGALA senega. Seneca Snakeroot. Height 8 to 12 inches. Leaves 1 to 2 inches long. Flowers white or greenish. Naturally adapted to rocky locations.					
POLYGONATUM biflorum. Dwarf Solomon's Seal. 12 to 18 inches. Shade or sun. Flowers greenish white under-	2	00	14	00	
neath curved stems. Strong	I	20	9	00	8 o o
Drooping greenish white flowers in June. X strong POTENTILLA tridentata. Wineleaf Cinquefoil. Creeper	I	20	8	00	70 00
plant with tiny, starry white flowers. Strong SANGUINARIA canadensis. Bloodroot. Height 5 to 8 inches.	2	00	15	00	
One of our best perennials. Large white flowers in early spring. Strong	I	20	7	00	60 0
SAPONARIA officinalis. Bouncing Bet. Stout grower I to 2 feet in height. Leaves oval, opposite. Rosy tinged flowers in midsummer. Easy of cultivation and a choice perennial.					
Strong SAXIFRAGA michauxi. Michaux Saxifrage. Height 6 to 18		20	8	00	70 00
inches. Deciduous. Flowers white, numerous and starlike. Strong		25	25	00	
SILENE stellata. Starry Campion. Height 2 to 4 feet. White flowers in showy panicles in July.	J	v	v		
Strong	I	40	9	00	80 00
in August. Strong	I	20	7	00	60 00
our garden friends. Strong	I	20	7	00	60 o
flowers in August and early September. Strong	I	50	10	00	90 0

Selected for shady or sunny location as desired



Smilacina racemosa (False Solomon's Seal). See page 29

HARDY NATIVE HERBACEOUS PERENNIALS, continued

STENANTHIUM robustum. Feather Fleece. Long, white, delicate flowers on stems 3 to 5 feet high in late summer. Extremely ornamental and altogether one of our finest perennials. Thrives in damp situations as	#2		10		I,00	
well as in drier soil. X heavy		10	_	50	\$ 140	00
STOKESIA lævis. Stokesia. Stems branched, I to 2 feet high, very leafy at base. Flowers blue, resembling China asters. Recommended for rock-gardens and other open situations. Strong	I	80	14	00		
STREPTOPUS roseus. Rosy Twisted Stalk. Stems stout and zig-zag. Leaves taper pointed, clasping. Flowers dull purplish pink. Fruit red. Strong		80	·	00		
THALICTRUM dioicum. Early Meadowrue. Height 2 to 4 feet. Purple or greenish flowers, April, May. Elegant cut foliage. Plant in shaded spot where drainage is good. Natural rock-garden plant.				·		
Strong polygamum. Tall Meadowrue. Height 4 to 8 feet. Leaves divided. Flowers white, in large clusters. Strong		45 45		00		00
THERMOPSIS caroliniana. Carolina Thermopsis. Grows 3 to 5 feet high. Yellow flowers in terminal racemes in May and June. Very showy for massing.		.0				
X strong clumps	2	50 75		00	150 25	00
TIARELLA cordifolia. Allegheny Foam Flower. Height about 10 inches. White flowers in May or June. Strong	I	40	9	00	80	00
TRADESCANTIA virginiana (montana). Virginia Spiderwort. Ribbon-like foliage and showy blue flowers. Strong.	I	40	9	00	80	00

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with bright yellow flowers. Strong
perfoliata. Wood Merrybells. Height 6 to 18 inches. Pale yellow flowers in early spring. Strong 1 20 8 00 70 00
sessilifolia. Little Merrybells. Height 10 to 20 inches.
Yellow flowers in May. Strong I 20 8 00 70 00
VERONICA virginica. Culver's-Physic. Showy; 2 to 4 feet in
height with long spikes of white flowers in midsum-
mer. Strong 1 45 9 00 80 00
VIOLA blanda. Sweet White Violet. Height 2 to 4 inches.
Fragrant white flowers in early spring. X strong 1 40 9 00 80 00
canadensis. Canada Violet. Whitish flowers, tinged with
purple. X strong
cucullata. Blue Marsh Violet. Height 6 to 10 inches. Blue flowers all summer. X strong
hastata. Halberd-leaved Yellow Violet. Long rootstock.
Creeping. Strong I 20 7 00 60 00
pedata. Bird's-foot Violet. Height 3 to 7 inches. Showy
blue flowers in May. First size 1 10 7 00 60 00
Second size
pedata bicolor. Two-color Bird's-foot Violet. Height 4 to
6 inches. Velvety light blue and purple pansy-like
flowers in May. Rare and beautiful. First size 1 35 8 00 70 00
Second size 1 00 4 00 35 00
rotundifolia. Round-leaf Violet. Height 3 to 4 inches.
Large yellow flowers in early spring. Large prostrate
shining leaves. Strong 1 20 9 00 80 00
sagittata. Arrowleaf Violet. Height 4 to 8 inches. Deep
blue flowers in May. Strong 1 40 9 00
XEROPHYLLUM asphodeloides. Turkey's-Beard. Height 3
to 5 feet. Long grass-like leaves. Attractive white
flowers. Rock-garden subject. Strong 2 00 15 00 140 00
YUCCA flaccida. Weakleaf Yucca. Height 2 to 5 feet. Stiff
narrow leaves. White flowers in June and July. Strong, 3-year
gloriosa (patens). Moundlily Yucca. Noble plant with flower-spike 8 feet high. Blooms rusty white or
reddish. X strong 4 50 35 00 330 00
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ZYGADENUS muscætoxicum. Crowpoison. Long grass-like
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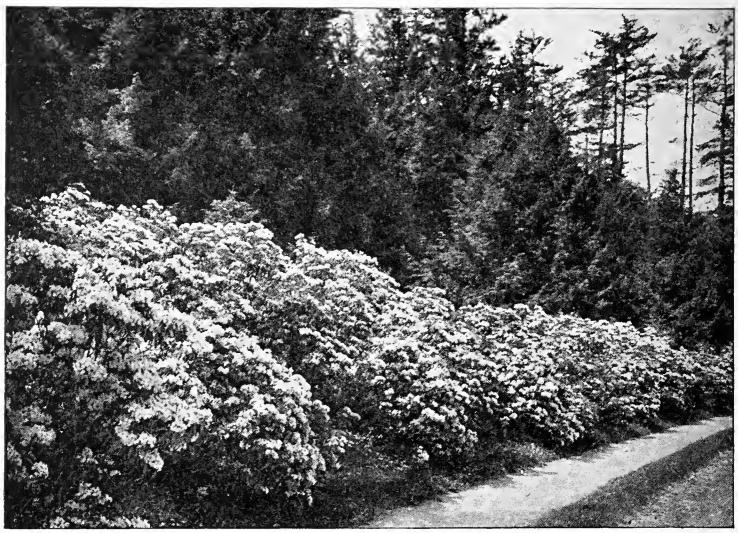
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